

Table VIII.B.2 Percent of private-sector employees in establishments that offer health insurance by average wage quartiles and State: United States, 2016

Division and State	Total	Quartile 1 Average Wage	Quartile 2 Average Wage	Quartile 3 Average Wage	Quartile 4 Average Wage
United States	84.3%	67.8%	82.2%	91.0%	95.8%
New England:					
Connecticut	86.4%	67.8%	87.6%	92.9%	97.1%
Maine	79.9%	59.5%	74.3%	89.6%	96.0%
Massachusetts	87.6%	66.8%	91.4%	95.1%	97.1%
New Hampshire	84.4%	68.8%	82.8%	95.2%	90.9%
Rhode Island	86.9%	63.1%	90.4%	95.1%	98.8%
Vermont	78.5%	61.1%	70.6%	88.5%	93.5%
Middle Atlantic:					
New Jersey	85.9%	68.0%	84.8%	95.2%	95.7%
New York	85.5%	68.1%	84.1%	93.2%	96.5%
Pennsylvania	85.0%	60.5%	88.3%	93.1%	97.8%
East North Central:					
Illinois	85.6%	70.6%	81.1%	94.3%	96.4%
Indiana	84.1%	68.6%	79.6%	91.5%	96.4%
Michigan	82.2%	60.1%	79.5%	93.8%	95.1%
Ohio	87.0%	73.0%	85.5%	97.9%	91.6%
Wisconsin	84.9%	66.3%	81.2%	93.0%	98.2%
West North Central:					
Iowa	85.3%	64.5%	88.6%	92.5%	95.2%
Kansas	82.5%	60.0%	83.7%	88.8%	97.5%
Minnesota	84.2%	65.8%	81.8%	94.2%	94.3%
Missouri	83.8%	65.0%	85.9%	91.6%	92.6%
Nebraska	79.1%	52.1%	79.9%	89.7%	94.6%
North Dakota	82.7%	58.3%	82.1%	93.2%	96.4%
South Dakota	81.2%	50.2%	83.5%	94.8%	96.1%
South Atlantic:					
Delaware	81.2%	54.8%	86.8%	88.9%	94.1%
District of Columbia	92.9%	79.4%	95.0%	98.1%	98.6%
Florida	81.2%	58.0%	87.2%	84.5%	95.1%
Georgia	84.9%	75.6%	83.3%	86.9%	93.7%
Maryland	84.1%	67.2%	80.9%	93.7%	94.5%
North Carolina	81.5%	64.9%	80.9%	86.3%	93.8%
South Carolina	81.3%	70.3%	75.3%	85.5%	93.8%
Virginia	86.9%	76.3%	82.7%	90.7%	97.8%
West Virginia	81.0%	63.9%	71.9%	91.8%	96.0%
East South Central:					
Alabama	85.7%	71.1%	85.1%	90.9%	95.4%
Kentucky	83.5%	71.8%	75.9%	90.1%	96.0%
Mississippi	83.3%	69.8%	80.8%	92.8%	89.4%
Tennessee	86.4%	81.3%	78.3%	89.0%	96.6%
West South Central:					
Arkansas	82.6%	60.6%	84.5%	90.4%	94.9%
Louisiana	82.6%	68.1%	75.0%	90.2%	96.5%
Oklahoma	85.8%	80.7%	80.2%	86.9%	95.4%
Texas	84.8%	74.5%	79.8%	89.6%	95.3%
Mountain:					
Arizona	83.5%	72.1%	74.8%	91.8%	94.9%
Colorado	82.9%	64.7%	81.0%	88.1%	97.4%
Idaho	75.6%	59.6%	62.7%	88.0%	91.9%
Montana	66.2%	46.0%	51.0%	76.2%	90.5%
Nevada	87.2%	74.9%	86.1%	94.3%	93.1%
New Mexico	80.6%	62.7%	74.9%	86.6%	97.8%
Utah	83.1%	62.4%	80.0%	92.0%	96.6%
Wyoming	72.1%	46.5%	72.4%	79.7%	89.8%
Pacific:					
Alaska	75.2%	49.6%	79.3%	82.8%	89.0%
California	84.8%	69.4%	81.7%	90.5%	97.6%
Hawaii	96.8%	90.6%	98.3%	99.9%	98.4%
Oregon	79.5%	60.0%	73.1%	87.2%	97.5%
Washington	82.1%	64.6%	78.4%	87.4%	97.7%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2016 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.

Note: Definitions and descriptions of the methods used for this survey can be found in the Technical Appendix.

Table VIII.B.2 Standard errors for percent of private-sector employees in establishments that offer health insurance by average wage quartiles and State: United States, 2016

Division and State	Total	Quartile 1 Average Wage	Quartile 2 Average Wage	Quartile 3 Average Wage	Quartile 4 Average Wage
United States	0.22%	0.72%	0.54%	0.39%	0.36%
New England:					
Connecticut	1.52%	4.23%	2.61%	2.11%	1.56%
Maine	1.54%	5.23%	4.11%	2.37%	1.50%
Massachusetts	1.10%	3.99%	2.21%	1.62%	1.40%
New Hampshire	1.83%	4.68%	3.44%	1.65%	5.17%
Rhode Island	1.44%	5.88%	2.58%	1.62%	0.68%
Vermont	1.69%	6.29%	4.51%	2.66%	2.19%
Middle Atlantic:					
New Jersey	1.10%	3.59%	2.55%	1.58%	1.57%
New York	0.99%	3.38%	2.47%	1.50%	1.47%
Pennsylvania	1.26%	3.96%	1.91%	1.66%	1.23%
East North Central:					
Illinois	1.20%	4.08%	3.18%	1.64%	1.58%
Indiana	1.31%	4.13%	3.59%	2.15%	1.17%
Michigan	1.54%	4.64%	4.14%	1.84%	1.62%
Ohio	1.68%	3.13%	2.47%	0.75%	5.99%
Wisconsin	1.33%	4.20%	3.51%	2.11%	1.01%
West North Central:					
Iowa	1.17%	4.22%	2.38%	1.82%	1.40%
Kansas	1.45%	5.41%	2.98%	2.52%	1.11%
Minnesota	1.41%	3.93%	3.91%	1.65%	2.27%
Missouri	1.31%	4.37%	2.92%	2.06%	2.49%
Nebraska	1.74%	5.68%	3.39%	2.51%	1.71%
North Dakota	1.57%	4.84%	3.46%	2.12%	1.62%
South Dakota	1.50%	4.60%	3.37%	1.60%	1.71%
South Atlantic:					
Delaware	1.70%	5.10%	3.60%	2.77%	2.14%
District of Columbia	0.88%	3.43%	1.58%	0.71%	0.58%
Florida	1.22%	3.78%	2.47%	2.76%	1.33%
Georgia	1.16%	3.67%	3.17%	2.73%	2.24%
Maryland	1.58%	5.15%	3.46%	2.00%	2.22%
North Carolina	1.37%	3.80%	2.89%	3.11%	3.21%
South Carolina	1.26%	3.71%	3.68%	2.78%	1.76%
Virginia	1.19%	3.81%	3.10%	2.24%	1.42%
West Virginia	1.83%	5.50%	4.52%	2.16%	1.64%
East South Central:					
Alabama	1.16%	3.70%	3.34%	2.05%	1.38%
Kentucky	1.71%	4.60%	4.37%	3.39%	1.61%
Mississippi	1.93%	4.34%	3.77%	2.44%	5.98%
Tennessee	1.10%	3.11%	3.22%	2.51%	1.34%
West South Central:					
Arkansas	1.43%	5.41%	3.29%	2.66%	1.45%
Louisiana	1.85%	5.77%	4.44%	2.60%	1.34%
Oklahoma	1.40%	4.96%	3.68%	2.75%	1.38%
Texas	0.84%	2.77%	2.27%	1.68%	0.99%
Mountain:					
Arizona	1.27%	4.01%	3.77%	2.19%	1.34%
Colorado	1.45%	4.68%	3.67%	2.58%	1.25%
Idaho	1.89%	5.11%	4.68%	2.71%	4.61%
Montana	2.49%	6.60%	5.02%	4.61%	2.30%
Nevada	1.25%	3.87%	2.98%	1.87%	1.96%
New Mexico	1.56%	4.64%	4.84%	2.98%	1.04%
Utah	1.33%	4.26%	3.84%	2.17%	1.27%
Wyoming	1.86%	7.09%	4.24%	4.08%	2.81%
Pacific:					
Alaska	1.73%	4.88%	4.18%	3.68%	3.59%
California	0.73%	2.48%	1.85%	1.53%	0.50%
Hawaii	0.56%	2.15%	0.76%	0.13%	0.72%
Oregon	1.68%	4.70%	4.37%	2.67%	1.12%
Washington	1.36%	4.49%	3.84%	2.76%	1.14%

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